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Bear Cats Defeated

The Gleichen Experts scored out a victory over the Bear Cats in the return game played on their alleys last Friday.

In spite of some splendid bowling by Capt. Geo. Stiles, "Old Man" Holmes, and E. H. Cairns, the Bear Cats could not make the grade against the longer, stiffer and more vigorous rooting of the "Experts" supporters, "Mutt McKee" and Andy McKee were right off their usual game and bowled against hard luck all through.

The final scores showed the Experts leading by 87 pins, but the boys are confident that they can reverse the result in future games.

Everybody who made the trip had a ripping time, thanks to the hospitality of Lorne Webster and the other members of the "Experts" team, and we are informed on the best authority that at least one man came back with a ripping headache.

Hurrah! for Alta View

A rip-roaring time was enjoyed by all those who were present at the dance given by the Trustees of the Alta View School District, Friday evening.

Dancing was the main object of the evening, but the most pleasing feature was the sociable good fellowship which was amply demonstrated among the crowd.

The ladies are to be congratulated on the tasteful decorations; the West wall was decorated with Union Jacks and the Stars and Stripes placed side by side, while the North wall presented the Canadian flag. The words "Alta View" continued on page 6.

Gang Says Goodbye

Upon the receipt of the news that "Gos" was to be transferred from Bassano to parts unknown his numerous friends in town felt that something had to be done to show him how much they appreciated him, and so what regard he was held by them.

The time for making plans was extremely limited but an excellent function was quickly arranged with the hearty co-operation of Poi, the capable manager of Pat's Restaurant, which took the form of a banquet with "Gos" as the guest of honor.

An elaborate menu had been prepared and fully fifty guests were present when Robert McLean said "goodbye."

Supper over, Toastmaster Mavor took charge of the proceedings and proposed the loyal toast, which was accorded unreserved honors, after which Mayor Bradin proposed "Trip, Army and Navy" which was responded to by returned veterans Chase, Clark and Joe Thompson. "Old Man" Harry Holmes then proposed the toast "Sports" which was responded to by E. H. McCaugherty.

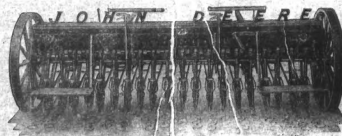
Then came the toast of the evening, "Gos," which was proposed by Roy McLean.

Mr. McLean expressed to the guest of the evening the feeling of appreciation which the boys had for his many excellent qualities of fellowship; he also spoke of Mr. Goslin's courtesy and efficiency in business, his never-failing willingness to give assistance wherever it was needed and culminated the clean-cut sportsmanship which had made him so deservedly popular. "Gos" he said, "was what was known as a 'Yes Souper' and he

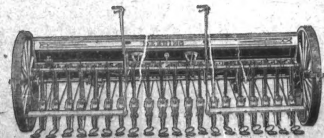
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The Bassano Mail.

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During the past two years we have been reading a great deal of inspired and imaginative literature dealing with the subject of the relationship between the United States and the British Empire.

Much of this reading has been propaganda; and more has been obviously the fruit of a fevered and somewhat disordered imagination, and the net result of at least 90 per cent of it has been to separate rather than draw together the two units of the great Anglo-Saxon race.

But those who had the good fortune to hear Charlie Clark, a returned veteran of the U.S. army, speak on this subject Saturday night, realize that the gospel of the returned soldier is going to crush the insidious poison of the epistles which appear so frequently in some of the powerful journals published in the States and also in a portion of the inspired press of Canada.

Charlie said that his remarks were directed against the insinuation that the soldiers of the States together with many of the people had the idea that it was the United States who won the war.

"No American soldier," he said, "was foolish enough to imagine that one day after he arrived in France, for once there the tracts were so evident that even the blindest egotist could see that the United States contribution was very small in comparison to the part played by Great Britain."

"In the first place," he said, "we were transported in British ships, taken off food routes to India and Australia; we were supplied with British guns and ammunition; taught by British instructors; we were fed with food which the people of Britain had denied themselves that we might have sufficient; and then when we got to the firing line we were supported by British troops."

"And they were some scrappers too. It did not matter whether they were English, Scotch, Irish, Welsh, Canadian, African, Indian, Australian or New Zealand men they were there with the goods."

"We who have been 'over the top' with them, retreated with them, fought with them in tanks and lived with them in camps, have learned the wonder of the 'Tommy,' the 'Canuck' and the 'Anzac,' and we have found out at first hand which nation it was who has been mainly responsible for the triumph of democracy."

"The French, too, are wonderful, and in handing chief credit to the British Empire, I do not in any way wish to minimise the tremendous sacrifice which France has made."

"Every American soldier returning from France will preach this same gospel as I am now preaching to offset the propaganda which the Hearst papers are endeavoring to spread, and I am confident that in a very short while the union between the people of America and the people of the British Empire will be complete."

"When that union was consummated there would be little fear for the future safety of democracy, but before the union could be accomplished the gospel of the returned soldier would have to be spread throughout the length and

breadth of the country."

"I was speaking to a bunch of politicians just before I came, back to Canada, and one of them—a senator—asked me: 'well, and who won the war?'"

"I know what you want me to say," I replied, "but I am not going to say it. 'If you want to know who won the war I will tell you—it was Great Britain.'"

"After a violent protest was made by the senator, he said 'and where did you get your information? I should like to know.' I went over after him," I replied, "where did you get your information?"

"Why, from the press," he replied. "And that is where trouble lies," said Mr. Clark. "It is in the propaganda of distrust and dislike of the British which is being sown by German sympathizers—where we have our chief difficulty."

"The same senator concluded his conversation with me by saying, 'anyhow the next war will be between France and England and the United States soldiers will be fighting for France.'"

"Here is one that won't" said Charlie.

No one hearing Mr. Clark could doubt his sincerity and earnestness and his speech had a profound impression upon everyone.

It more men of his way of thought the same gospel as fearlessly as he has done since his return and the people of the British Empire continue to deserve such tributes, there can be little doubt the wedding of the Anglo-Saxon races will shortly be an accomplished fact.

Notice

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act authorizing it to construct the following line of railway:

From a point at or near Trenchon on the Canadian Eastern Branch in Township 20, Range 14, West Fourth Meridian, in the Province of Alberta, thence in a general northerly direction to a point in or near Township 25, Range 14, 15 or 16, West Fourth Meridian, in the said Province.

DATED at Montreal this 14th day of January, 1919.

E. ALEXANDER,

Secretary,

Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Don't Forget!

Bear Cats' Basket Social, Friday Feb. 14th
 Bear Cats vs. The Rubes, Tuesday Feb. 18th
 Veterans' Welfare Meeting, Wed. Feb. 19th



Department of Railways and Telephones.

Edmonton, Feb. 7, 1919.

In accordance with the increased cost of all public utilities throughout Canada, and especially in telephone systems, in view of the added cost of maintenance and operation for each telephone unit proportionately with increased telephone development, the following rate schedule will be in force throughout the Alberta Government Telephone system effective April 1st, 1919.

Exchange Monthly Rate Schedule

Exchange Classification	BUSINESS	RESIDENCE
	Wkly. Desk	Wkly. Desk
(a) DAY SERVICE	2.25	2.50
(b) NIGHT-CONTINUOUS SERVICE	2.75	3.00
(c) CONTINUOUS SERVICE		
Exchanges under 150 stations	\$ 0.00	\$ 3.25
(d) CONTINUOUS SERVICE		
Exchanges between 150 and 500 stations	3.25	3.50
(e) CONTINUOUS SERVICE		
Exchanges between 500 and 1000 stations	3.75	4.00
(f) CONTINUOUS SERVICE		
Exchanges between 1000 and 3000 stations	4.00	4.25
(g) CONTINUOUS SERVICE		
Exchanges between 3000 and 10000 stations	4.50	4.75
(h) CONTINUOUS SERVICE		

Extension Sets and Extension Bells

Business Wkly.	\$ 1.00 per month	Residence Wkly. 50¢ per month
Business Desk	2.25 per month	Residence Desk 20¢ per month
Extension Bells	25¢ per month	
Load Ringing		
Extension Bells	50¢ per month	

Installation Charges.

A service connection charge covering a portion of the average cost of the initial expense of establishing service for new subscribers, and of furnishing additional facilities to old subscribers shall be as follows:

- For individual or party line service, or extension set \$3.50
- For each extension bell 2.00
- To cover directory, accounting, circuit and switchboard expenses, in cases where service is established by the use of instruments already in place in the subscriber's premises and no change is made in the type or location of such instruments 1.00
- To reposition service when discontinued for non-payment of account 1.00
- When it is necessary to erect poles or anchors in order to carry the wires from the main telephone line on the road allowance or street to the applicant's premises, such poles and anchors in connection therewith will be supplied and erected by the Department at the expense of the applicant, or if arranged for in advance in writing, the applicant may install and erect such poles and anchors in accordance with the specifications and regulations of the Department.

MOVES:

- The charges for an outside move shall be the same as the installation charge.
- The charges for an inside move shall be 1.00.

EXCESS MILEAGE:

- The excess mileage rate for exchange service shall be 50¢ per month for each quarter mile or fraction thereof.
- Rural Telephone rates will be announced at a later date.

S. L. HARVEY,

Acting Deputy Minister of Railways and Telephones.

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Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the estate of STANLEY EDWARD EDWARDS, late of Majorville, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said STANLEY EDWARD EDWARDS who died 4th November, 1918, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of the estate, by the 24th March, 1919, a full statement duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 24th January, 1919.
BURNS, MAVOR & MCLEAN,
Bassano, Alberta.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the estate of MELVIN EUGENE ARTHUR HUTTON, late of Coonville, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said MELVIN EUGENE ARTHUR HUTTON, who died on the 12th day of November, 1918, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of the estate, by the 24th March, 1919, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to their knowledge.

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FOR SALE

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"Gos." Receives Well Merited Promotion

J. N. Goselin, affectionately known as "Gos.," who for the past two years has occupied the position of accountant in the Bank of Commerce, received notice on Friday that he was to be transferred immediately to a branch in Southern Manitoba. While his last name was vague and indeterminate, it was understood, on the best authority, that this movement is a promotion to management for "Gos."

"Gos." has earned for himself during his residence at Bassano an enviable reputation for able sportsmanship, and "wholesome" following, and he has been ever to the front in all matters connected with the social life of the town.

He was a worker and an enthusiast in everything patriotic, (the Red Cross Society in particular), Secretary of the Fire Brigade, "Masco" of the Ball team, and, in fact, was a moving spirit in anything which had any life at all.

"Gos." will be missed badly, but by the whole community, who appreciate itself that it has been fortunate to have had a man of such calibre as Gos. for so long a period.

He carries with him to his new position the good wishes, and the confident expectations of the people of Bassano in his rapid advancement.

Gang Says Goodbye

Had convinced the people of Bassano that if all "Flea-Soupers" were like unto himself, they were a jolly good bunch of fellows. While regretting very keenly the departure of "Gos.," he congratulated him that his move meant a well-merited promotion. The town was enthusiastically honoured.

R. P. Findlay at this point took advantage of the opportunity to present Mr. Goselin on behalf of the Bank staff with a plaque and some small tokens of their regard for him.

"Gos." in reply thanked the boys for the very hearty manner in which they had honoured him, and spoke of the very happy time he had spent in Bassano. He said he would always feel that he had two home towns, one in Montreal and the other at Bassano.

The concluding toast "The Ladies" was very wittily proposed by Lorne Webster and responded to by E. G. Allen and E. P. Currie.

During the evening a musical programme was rendered by Misses Allen, Barry, Bond, Butler, Leggett and Wilson and H. D. Fovors gave a couple of recitations.

The proceedings terminated with the National Anthem and "Auld Lang Syne."

Hurrah! for Alta View

which were artistically worked in wood—stretched across the South wall. Festoons adorned the ceilings.

Too much could not be said for the supper which was provided. There was a bunch out from Bassano who didn't forget to bring their full capacity of high spirits, which the people of the District fully reciprocated and a big time was had.

Dancing broke up about 7 a.m. Saturday morning.

C. N. C.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the estate of ALBERT DEITZ the younger, late of Majorville, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said ALBERT DEITZ, who died 21st December, for the Administrator of his estate by the 15th day of April, 1919, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to his knowledge.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1919.
BURNS, MAVOR & MCLEAN,
Bassano, Alberta.

"J. L. D." "D. C."

Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 21st March, 1919, for the conveyance of the Alberta Mail, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week on the route between

BASSANO AND GEM from the Postmaster General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Bassano and from, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, D. A. BRUCE, Post Office Inspector, Post Office Inspector, Calgary, 7th February, 1919.

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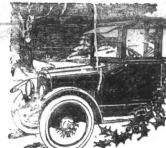


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COYOTE	22.00 to 18.00	16.00 to 14.00	12.00 to 10.00	8.00 to 7.00	5.00 to 4.00
MUSKRAT	3.00 to 2.50	2.25 to 1.75	1.60 to 1.30	1.00 to .75	.50 to .40
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Anglo-American Understanding

Paris. — Every day that passes increases the certainty that Britain and the United States have reached an agreement on all fundamental questions and are working closely together. Both nations have made concessions; Britain has accepted the U. S. views as to certain vital phases of the league of nations and the U. S. has surrendered to Britain with respect to the old contention regarding freedom of the seas as a U. S. press correspondent.

No regret should be wasted over this surrender for it was the weakest point in the American program. Their original contention grew out of the controversies first with Britain and then with Germany over the rights of neutrals. The United States claimed the privilege under the existing sea laws of trading freely with both sides; Britain contended that while these laws were applicable in former times they were not so any longer since modern wars are fought, not between professional armies and navies, but between civilians. Everybody is a combatant in a certain sense and therefore everything is contraband. The United States practically acceded to this view. When entering the war, they helped the allies to tighten the blockade.

The chief cause of the present contention to Britain is the realization that the day is indeed past when wars can be fought according to rules. The league of nations may make all the rules it pleases, but when a great conflagration sweeps the world and the nations again plunge into a desperate life and death struggle all rules will be in vain for nobody will observe them. The real evil is not the breaking of war rules but the fact that the nations make no effort in drafting rules which would be better expedients towards preventing war altogether.

The best preventive plan yet suggested is the establishment of a league of nations. If a strong league, with suitable limitations of armaments, can be organized, the whole question of the freedom of the seas immediately becomes a secondary consideration. This reasoning is considered the basis of the present warm Anglo-American understanding.

Troops Leave Germany

All Canadian Fighting Divisions are Now in Belgium

Ottawa. — Confirmation of the statement that the third Canadian division, the first of the fighting divisions from Canada to be returned home, will probably sail for England about March 1, is contained in a cable from Sir Edward Kemp, overseas minister of militia, received at militia headquarters. Kemp says the exact location of all the Canadian fighting divisions and views conclusively that they are now in Belgium and not in Germany.

The first division, it states, is now at Huy, midway between Liege and Namur, where it is expected to be on the Rhine about ten days ago. The second division is located at Namur, having reached that place from the Rhine just about the time the cable was despatched.

The third division is at Tournai, also in Belgium, and is expected to begin the movement from there to England the second week of February, and from England to Canada about March 1. The fourth division is stationed at Nivelles, twenty-five miles south of Brussels. Certain corps troops, such as garrison artillery, cavalry and hospital units, are being sent to the Rhine about the same time as the states, by moving to England also.

Say Allies Must Evacuate Russia

If They Desire to Prove Their Fitness to Act as Arbitrators

Paris. — Further support for the Bolshevik attitude toward the invitation of the allied and associated powers for a conference with the Russian factions at Brissac, France, is given by an article in the Bolshevik official newspaper *Izvestia* of January 26.

The article, which was signed by M. Nadezhda, is an indirect character of the invitation, noting that it bore neither address nor signature. The writer declares the allies must first prove their fitness to act as arbitrators. He adds, may be taken seriously.

For Return of Kaiser

Paris. — Field Marshal von Hindenburg, according to the *Echo de Paris*, is endeavoring to bring about the return of former Emperor William, after the meeting of the national assembly. Leading German manufacturers in Westphalia are said to be interested in the plan. The newspaper adds that the former emperor wrote to Premier Freyler that he would accept whatever residence Germany was assigned to him. The Kaiser would be repaid only that the national assembly would be qualified to decide the question.

Strike Movement is Spreading in Belfast

City by Night Is Now in Total Darkness

London. — It is estimated that nearly 20,000 men and women are on strike in Belfast and Ireland because of strikes in various situations industrially that the country has had to face in many years. Half of the strikers are in Belfast, where the strike movement is spreading rapidly. The city of Belfast by night is now in virtually total darkness, the hospitals being the only places where light can be shown without danger of attacks by strikers. Every place where the display of light has caused either the stoning or the storing of property. In cases where drastic action was not taken the people were forced by threats or force to leave their homes. It is not considered safe to use more than one candle and the supply of candles is rapidly diminishing.

Consider Adriatic Question

With View to Determine Merits of Claims Put Forward

Paris. — A commission, consisting of four admirals representing Great Britain, the United States, France and Italy, has been in session at Rome inquiring into the claims of various ports along the eastern coast of the Adriatic. This occupation came to the attention of the commission, which was held in London early in December prior to the arrival of President Wilson. It was decided to ask four admirals to make an inquiry with a view to determine the merits of respective claims being put forward in the Adriatic.

Turks Attacking Armenian Villages

Fear Another Chapter of Atrocities Will Be Added to Record

London. — Intense anxiety is felt by Armenians here over reports that the army of Turkish troops, joined Tartar bands, are attacking Armenian villages. It is feared that still another chapter of atrocities will be added to the Turkish record before the allies will be able to relieve the beleaguered Armenian towns. Details still are lacking of the massacre at Baku after the Turks, reinforced by Tartar and German troops, had captured the city. Unofficial reports, however, indicate that about 20,000 people, in a considerable number of Armenian soldiers, were slaughtered in Baku and in the surrounding region.

Denies Megantic Story

Halifax. — Officials of the White Star line emphatically deny the charges made by a number of the soldiers returning on the Megantic that conditions aboard the steamer were not all they should be. Halifax evening papers publish statements from Major Linton, the officer commanding the returning troops, setting forth that the food supplied was of good quality, that the accommodation for all was satisfactory and that the troops were kept in excellent condition.

Young Soldiers Will Watch Rhine

Battalions Will Be Sent Immediately to Release Older Men

London. — The regulations governing the armistice of occupation are flesh with in an official statement issued by Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for war. The statement says:

"The British military commanders are of the opinion that 900,000 men are sufficient for this transition period. All the rest will be demobilized as fast as possible.

"The first armies will begin forming February 1, and will be composed in the first instance, of those who have enlisted since January 1, 1916, and who do not exceed 37 years of age. Volunteers will be accepted for one year's service from among men otherwise entitled to release, while on a general scale as possible, on home service will be sent immediately to help guard the Rhine bridges and release the older men.

"The men of the new armies will be paid bonuses ranging from ten shillings and sixpence to a week for private, to forty-two shillings for colonels, in addition to the ordinary army pay. Leave will be granted on a generous scale as possible. "The occupation armies will be the home army, the army of the Rhine, the army of the middle east, a detachment of the British army, and the army of the crown colonies and India.

"These arrangements, which will be the best available for the year of 1919. During the year, however, we must make the old British regular army so at the present time, on a voluntary basis, various garrisons and foreign stations."

In connection with the foregoing the ministry of labor announces that no further application for release of individual officers or men on pivotal or special grounds can be considered.

Opposes Annexation

President Wilson Wishes to Internationalize German Colonies

Paris. — Financial considerations have entered largely into the discussion of internationalization of the German colonies, which have been generally regarded as the chief asset of Germany, in settling war claims. While Japan has made it clear that she will not relinquish the rights of the territory included in the Kiaochow concession to China, she desires to retain the German railways, mines and other valuable concessions in voluntary transfer to reimburse her for war expenditures.

Another consideration is a similar reason for claiming the New Guinea islands and New Zealand for claiming Samoa. Japan's claims to the Marshall Islands and the Carolines are supported on the same grounds, and a similar reason is offered for the actual transfer of the German colonies to members of the allied nations. Japan naturally objects to having the concessions which Germany formerly transferred to her, transferred to other nations. The settlement of the war claims of an ally, while it is asserted that President Wilson opposes actual annexation of the German colonies, the entire powers are unable to use their claims against Germany would be met and objection has been raised that if actual transfer of the colonies is not made to certain powers in settlement of war claims, the chief asset of Germany would be eliminated, as the nation whose guardianship the colonies was entrusted by the league of nations could not consider them its property.

Italy Apologetic

Washington. — Rear-Admiral Niblack, commanding American naval forces in the Adriatic, informed the navy department that the action of the Italian authorities in removing the American flag on the steamer *Dinara* was due to a misunderstanding and that the Italian commander was ordered to rectify the flag rectified.

Must Reckon Nerva

Stockholm. — Premier Lunde, in ordering a report from Reval, has ordered the Bolsheviks to report to the town of Nerva from the town within a week, to take the town and to "kill all the bourgeoisie." Lunde is expected to be staying in the town of Yamburg, east of Nerva.

German Army Mobilized

Paris. — Two full corps of German troops have been assembled by the general staff to march against the Poles and eight troop trains are passing through Frankfurt-on-the-Oder daily, according to a Zurich despatch which quotes the press of the Baden-Baden.

Buys Canada's Airplanes

American Will Inaugurate Aerial Service Throughout Canada

New York. — The New York Sun says:

"Roy U. Conger, a nephew of Edwin H. Conger, United States ambassador to China at the time of the Boxer rebellion, gave his certified check to Sir Joseph Flavelle, representing the military ministry of munitions, and Director Morrow, of the imperial aircraft board, and thereby became the owner of the entire aircraft equipment costing more than \$100,000, which was provided by Great Britain and used by Canada in training Canadian air fighters.

"The transaction was closed at Toronto, and the job of assembling 500 airplanes, 700 airplane engines, millions of spare parts, thousands of spare propellers, wings, cameras and other equipment, was at once begun under the direction of F. G. Erickson, of Toronto, Mr. Conger's Canadian representative.

"The whole equipment will be moved from the Royal Flying Corps' training bases in America, through Rotherham, Mohawk, Beauséjour and Bathurst to the field at Leaside, the new flying center, and has been granted to Mr. Conger for six months by the Dominion government."

"The price paid was not divulged. The disposal of the British government, but it was only a fraction of the original cost of the equipment."

"Mr. Conger's plans for the use and disposal of the stupendous equipment are merely in the making, but the greatest feature of them is the immediate development of airplane routes in Canada. He is immediately convinced that heavier than air machines are to be the principal transporting medium and vehicles of the future for passengers, mail, express, and, in time, indeed, for heavy freight. The New York press has been able to get word from the department, regular commercial service by airplane between the principal Canadian cities. He has already begun the streets of Perm until the entire coast is covered by the landing fields in the larger Canadian cities, and will have the sympathy of the operation of the Dominion government in the project."

Capture of Perm Ended Reds Reign

In Three Months Whole Population Would Have Perished

Omsk, Central Siberia. — Deitch, the streets of Perm until the city was captured by General Gaidar, according to the official report of a investigator who has just returned from the city. The city was in a terrible condition under the Bolshevik regime that the frightened people of Perm have yet not recovered. He said that the few pacifists encountered there were persecuted, with livid lips and constant nervous trembling. The Bolsheviks killed a few children less than a year old in Perm, all having died, says the report. The city had three months of the whole population would have perished. There are well authenticated cases of torture, according to the report. The city was forbidden, from June 1, take provisions into their territory. Some people hid supplies, but these were found and seized by the Bolsheviks, who spread throughout the whole region near Perm.

More German Trickery

Faulty Knowledge of English Gives Scheme Away

Ottawa. — Germany has lost the war, but its old-time cunning and trickery, according to advice received from overseas by the director of public information, Fred James, official correspondent and leader of the Canadian press, writes from Bonn, as follows:

"An example of how the Germans are eager to get trade is shown by the fact that Canadian and imperial military buttons, shoulder badges, etc., are on sale in stores of Bonn and Vienna, the product of a factory at Coblenz.

"They are very good imitations and might pass as British made if the manufacturers' knowledge of English were not faulty. On the back of the buttons is stamped 'Extra fine'."

May Use Parcel Post

New York. — Parcel post may be used to coast all the high cost of living in Greater New York. A plan to use the postal facilities to carry food into New York from the rural districts has been suggested by a consumer, at a great reduction of prices to the people, is being investigated by Postmaster Patton. It will probably be put into operation in the near future, it is stated.

Apply Internationalism to Captured German Colonies

Types as Memorial

London. — The decision of the Belgian government to maintain Tyres, the scene of several battles between the British and the Germans, in its present condition as a permanent memorial is endorsed heartily by British press and public opinion.

"Tyres will be a memorial," says the Westminster Gazette, "in which future generations may learn the horror of war, there is nothing more impressive than the site of the stricken city with the skeletons of its once wonderful buildings rising against the sky. In a sense there are few things more beautiful. To patch it up would be impossible. Everywhere, therefore, will welcome the decision that the remains of the old city shall be left intact instead of being cleared away."

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Armistice Ended

Argument of Force

Claims Will Be Prejudiced by Continuance of Violence

London. — Commenting on the action of the supreme war council in issuing a warning to those who are using armed forces in Europe and the East to enlarge their possessions before claims are finally adjusted, the Times says:

"The decisions of the conference will rest on two sets of consideration and two only. The first set is the record of the war that was terminated by the armistice of November. The armistice ended once and for all the record of the war and for the parties to the great suit in international justice which is now opening in Paris, to appeal to force in contempt of the armistice.

"The second set of consideration is made up of claims of justice. Various rival nationalities who are now crying out their claims are looking back to an era definitely closed by the defeat of Germany, in which might was right, and in which the great powers in the conference, having at the cost of incredible exertions and sacrifices, overthrown that old law, and have a new title to justice, must accept their authority against all appeals by violence. We do not mean that all claims that are made are necessarily claims that in themselves are unjust. But just or not they will be prejudiced by the fact of their being made in an era of violence. The great law which is asked for justice must come in to court with clean hands."

The invention of bells is attributed to the Egyptians.

London. — The British imperial conference has accepted President Wilson's theory of internationalism as applied to the captured German colonies, notwithstanding energetic protest from the representatives of the Dominions, says the Daily Mail's Paris correspondent.

"These protests," says the correspondent, "have been of the gravest character. The South African representatives believe it will give the greatest encouragement to the rebel forces in South Africa which it ever has received during British administration. The Australian delegates fear that an Australian public opinion will regard it as a very unsatisfactory and inexplicable. The Canadian representatives, generally, though very reluctant, are greatly perturbed."

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Value of Advertising

Calgary. — Because there is a demand for better housing facilities, which must continue if the present development and improvement continues, the number men are of the opinion that there must be a co-operative system of advertising for better homes for people immigrated.

The general idea of a convention at the Western Retail Lumbermen's association is to whether the service and plan to be a part of the United States to a greater extent.

Landed Lives Under an Alias

London. — Gen. Ludendorff, former quartermaster-general of the German army, has returned to Berlin under an alias. He is now using a new name, according to an Exchange Telegraph company despatch from Amsterdam, because he fears that his name will be used by the Germans to have placed his services at the disposal of the government. He is said to be dead, declared them with threats.

Coal Shortage in Germany

Berlin. — The coal shortage throughout Germany is so serious that for the moment all other questions are of secondary importance. The large factories in many of the cities are already closed and it will be necessary to shut down many of the largest plants in Berlin. The situation is not improving with in a fortnight.

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Fliers Will Require License
Ottawa.—A joint agreement regarding air travel will, it is expected, shortly be entered into between Canada and the United States. Already it is stated, such an agreement has been entered into between France and England, whereby flyers between the two countries are required to specifically designate their point of destination and to secure licenses. The object is to prevent smuggling, etc.

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New Zealand Casualties
Wellington.—New Zealand's casualties in the war are placed at fifty-seven thousand, nine hundred and thirty, which makes the total number of New Zealanders killed. There were only 475 prisoners.

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BARS IMMIGRATION

Washington.—Prohibition of immigration for four years after the war, except from Canada, Mexico, Central and South America, was agreed upon unanimously by the house immigration committee. Chairman Burnett announced that he would ask for a special rule to permit early consideration of the measure by the house.

A number of amendments to the bill were introduced and received the approval of the committee. The bill is now in the hands of the committee on immigration and naturalization.

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RUSSIA IS ALARMED

Viadravost.—According to statements in the Russian press all parties are alarmed at the reports of the allies' retreat from Siberia in the spring of 1919.

Prominent men of many shades of political opinion declare there will be a carnival of murder and rapine as the result of the withdrawal, as the situation points to a war of extermination of either the upper classes of the Bolsheviks.

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Local and Personal.

Service will be held at the Anglican Church on Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

Born—On Friday last to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Barry, a daughter.

Everyone will be delighted to know that Charlie, the infant, is now back on his old job at the depot.

An attempt is being made to organize a Choral Society for Bassano and district. Mr. A. G. Bond would be glad to receive the names of any ladies or gentlemen who would like to join.

In the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening next, Feb. 16th, the minister will speak on the subject "Good Scaples and Bad Christians." Come and hear this theme discussed.

The Dear Gals Valentine's Day Basket Social and Dance is going to be a real humdinger. Be there, or you will never cease to regret it. Mrs. Tallor's Orchestra will provide the music.

Bob McLean captured the prize for high score at five pins last week. We understand the proprietors of the place where good fellows meet are offering a special prize for anyone who can beat Joe Thompson's score of 100.

Several of our readers have suggested that we use wrong English when we remarked that Joe Thompson was quite "modest" about his feat last week. They prefer the word "humblive."

A meeting of the members of Bassano War Veterans' Welfare Association is called for Wednesday next at 8:00 p.m. There are several matters of great importance to be discussed and it is expected of everybody (women as well as men) that they will make a big effort to be present.

One of the five Sanitary Inspectors of the Province was in town on Tuesday last. He informed us that it is the intention of the Provincial Health Board to institute a thorough inspection of every town in the Province, and to rigidly enforce the provisions of the Health Act. He intimated that there were several prospective prosecution cases in town, and we hand on the hint to those whom it may concern.

The Red Cross Society wish to thank all those who helped in any way to make the recent drive such a success. The number of articles made as a result of the eight day-work amounted to 551, and these have been forwarded to Calgary. A shipment of 779 articles having been made last week. The meetings until further notice will be held fortnightly. The next regular meeting to be held on February 21st.

Notice of Diversion of Road

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to sub-section 17 of Section 163 of the Towns Act, being Chapter 2 of the Statutes of Alberta 1911-12 that the Council of the Town of Bassano intend, after the expiration of two weeks from the date of the first publication of this notice, which first publication will be February 19th, 1919, to close and transfer certain parts of Avenue within the said Town, to the Canadian Pacific Company.

Notably, that part of First Avenue at its Eastern end south of Block 48 and 47 to be closed, and diverted on a parallel line some fifty feet north or less.

All as shown upon a plan of a portion of the North half of Section Seventeen (17), Township Twenty-one (21), Range Nineteen (19), West of the Fourth Meridian, of record in the Land Titles Office for the South Alberta Land Registration District as "BASSANO 2016-B.A."

Any person claiming to be prejudicially affected by the diversion of the aforesaid Avenue will, upon petitioning the Council to that effect within two weeks from the date of the first publication of this notice as stated above, be given an opportunity to be heard by himself or his agent.

Dated at Bassano this 6th day of February A.D. 1919.
O. B. BOND,
Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Bassano.

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